

Proposal Full View[Print](#)**Applicant Information**

Organization Name The River Exchange - *

Tax ID **911818846**

Proposal Name Regional Planning Grant for the Development of an IRWM Plan for the Upper Sacramento-McCloud-Lower Pit Region (Upper Sac) *

Proposal Objective The objective of this planning grant project proposal is to develop an IRWM Plan for the recently approved Upper Sac region that meets the IRWM Plan Standards described in the Final Proposition 84 & Proposition 1E Integrated Regional Water Management Guidelines dated August 2010. The overarching objective of the Upper Sac IRWM plan is to establish integrated regional management strategies for management of the region's water resources by 1) promoting collaboration between regional stakeholders, 2) improving water and land use management through regional integration of existing projects and the development of programs and projects that meet multiple benefits, and 3) protecting water supply and water quality both within our region and downstream. The full suite of Upper Sac IRWM Plan objectives will be developed during the course of the planning process and writing of the region's plan. The plan objectives will focus on effectively meeting both preferences laid out in PRC §75026.(b) and §CWC 10544 and the statewide priorities for the IRWM grant program including but not limited to: • effectively resolving significant water-related conflicts within or between regions; • addressing critical water supply or water quality needs of disadvantaged communities within the region; • effectively integrating water management with land use planning; • developing projects that provide multiple benefits; • drought preparedness; • efficient water use; • adaptation to climate change; • environmental stewardship; • integrated flood management; • protection of surface and groundwater quality; • improvement of tribal water resources and other natural resources; and • ensuring that the benefits of IRWM planning are shared equitably across our disadvantaged region. *

Budget

Other Contribution	\$169,300.00
Local Contribution	\$0.00
Federal Contribution	\$0.00
Inkind Contribution	\$28,190.00
Amount Requested	\$592,470.00 *
Total Project Cost	\$789,960.00 *

Geographic Information

Latitude * DD(+/-) 41 MM 9 SS 32

Longitude * DD(+/-) -122 MM 3 SS 42

Longitude/Latitude Clarification	N/A	Location	McCloud, California is the approximate center of the region
County		Siskiyou, Shasta *	
Ground Water Basin		Mccloud Area, Pondosa Town Area, Toad Well Area	
Hydrologic Region		Sacramento River	
Watershed	85-5525 Upper Sacramento River Watershed, 65-5505 McCloud River Watershed, 86-5526 Pit River Watershed		

Legislative Information

Assembly District	2nd Assembly District *
Senate District	4th Senate District *
US Congressional District	District 2 (CA) *

Project Information**Project Benefits Information**

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Budget

Other Contribution	169300
Local Contribution	0
Federal Contribution	0
Inkind Contribution	28190
Amount Requested	592470

Total Project Cost	789960		
Geographic Information			
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Longitude DD(+/-)	-122	MM 3	SS 42
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Ground Water Basin	Mccloud Area,Pondosa Town Area,Toad Well Area		
Hydrologic Region	Sacramento River		
WaterShed	85-5525 Upper Sacramento River Watershed, 65-5505 M		

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APPLICANT INFORMATION AND QUESTION'S TAB

APPLICATION TYPE

Is this an application for a Regional Planning Grant or an Interregional Planning Grant?

- a) ☒ Regional Planning Grant
b) ☐ Interregional Planning Grant

Q1. PROPOSAL DESCRIPTION

Provide a brief abstract of the Proposal. Please note if the Proposal will facilitate or support the participation of DAC's in the IRWM planning effort.

The Upper Sac region is part of the Sacramento River Hydrologic Unit with an area of 2026 square miles. The region is located in very rural southern Siskiyou County and northern Shasta County with an estimated population of 13,000 people. The economically depressed region in its entirety qualifies as a DAC. The development of an

IRWM Plan for the Upper Sac region will meet the statewide priority of ensuring equitable distribution of benefits by increasing the participation of small and disadvantaged communities in the IRWM process. The region is relatively small and unpopulated but with extremely high natural resource values. The region encompasses the headwaters of the Sacramento River and provides the critical services of water supply; high quality drinking water; hydroelectric power; watershed, forest and fisheries management to a large portion of the state via the Sacramento River and Shasta Lake reservoir - the keystone of the Central Valley Project. Though disadvantaged, the region is poised to embrace integrated regional water management planning as exemplified by multiple existing collaborative efforts underway. The development of an IRWM Plan for the region will integrate existing efforts and assist the DAC communities with identification of and application to funding sources to assist with the costs of repairing aging water supply and treatment infrastructure as well as to work collaboratively on the issues that impact all agencies, including water supply reliability, water quality, environmental stewardship and flood management. A partial list of project types (from page 17 of the IRWM Guidelines) anticipated to be integrated into the region???s plan includes: ??? Water supply reliability, water conservation and water use efficiency ??? DAC water quality and supply projects ??? pollution reduction, management and monitoring ??? watershed protection and management

Q2. PROJECT DIRECTOR

Provide the name and details (including email) of the person responsible for executing the grant agreement for the applicant. Persons that are subcontractors to be paid by the grant cannot be listed as the Project Director.

Project Director is Dea Knox, Executive Director of the River Exchange. She can be reached at dea@riverexchange.org or by phone at 530-235-2012.

Q3. PROJECT MANAGEMENT

Provide the name and contact information (including email) of the Project Manager from the applicant agency or organization that will be the day-to-day contact on this application.

Project Manager is Dea Knox, Executive Director of the River Exchange. She can be reached at dea@riverexchange.org or by phone at 530-235-2012.

Q4. APPLICANT INFORMATION

Provide the agency name, address, city, state, and zip code of the applicant submitting the application.

The River Exchange P.O. Box 784, Dunsmuir, CA 96025

Q5. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Based on the region's location, what are the applicable DWR regions (Northern, North Central, South Central, and/or Southern)? The following link can be used to view each DWR region office boundaries:

http://www.water.ca.gov/groundwater/groundwater_basics/gw_contacts_info.cfm

- a) ☒ Northern Region
b) ☐ North Central Region
c) ☐ South Central Region
d) ☐ Southern Region

Q6. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

List the name of the Regional Water Quality Control Board (RWQCB) in which your project is located. For a region that extends beyond more than one RWQCB boundary, list the name of each Board.
http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/waterboards_map.shtml

Central Valley Regional Water Quality Control Board

Q7. ELIGIBILITY

Does the application represent a single application from an IRWM Planning region approved in the RAP (see section II, Table 1 of the Planning PSP)?

Yes

If yes, include the name of the IRWM Planning region. If no, explain.

Upper Sacramento-McCloud-Lower Pit Region

Q8. ELIGIBILITY

Is the applicant a local agency or non-profit organization as described in Appendix B of the Guidelines?

Yes

If no, please explain.

Not applicable.

Q9. ELIGIBILITY

List the urban water suppliers that will receive funding from the proposed grant. Those listed must submit self certification of compliance with California Water Code (CWC) §525 *et seq.* and Assembly Bill (AB) 1420 (see Attachment 6 of the Planning Grant PSP). If there are no urban water suppliers, so indicate.

Not applicable; the region has no urban water suppliers.

Q10. ELIGIBILITY

Have all of the urban water suppliers, listed in Q9 above, submitted complete 2005 Urban Water Management Plans (UWMP) to DWR? Have those plans been verified as complete by DWR? If not, explain. Will all of the urban water suppliers listed in Q9, along with any additional urban water suppliers that meet the urban water supplier definition threshold for the first time, submit updated 2010 UWMPs, consistent with the 2010 UWMP Guidebook and verified as complete by DWR, before the execution of a grant agreement? If not, explain.

Not applicable; the region has no urban water suppliers.

Q11. ADOPTION DATE

Identify the adoption date or anticipated adoption date of the IRWM Plan.

6/30/2013

Q12. COMPLETENESS CHECK

Have all of the fields in the application been completed?

No

If no, please explain.

Under the 'Project' tab, I clicked on the 'Project Benefit' field and selected 'Management Plans - IRWM' and clicked 'Save' but then I received a message that I needed to save a project benefit. I could not get BMS to accept my project benefit answer.

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ATTACHMENT 1: AUTHORIZING DOCUMENTATION

Upload authorizing documentation here. Ensure file name is consistent with section V of the Planning Grant PSP (disregard the 5 digit pin).

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ATTACHMENT 2: ELIGIBLE APPLICANT DOCUMENTATION

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ATTACHMENT 3: WORK PLAN

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ATTACHMENT 4: BUDGET

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ATTACHMENT 5: SCHEDULE

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